## Thomas A. Fry, III,

of Texas, to be Director of the Bureau of Land Management, vice Patrick A. Shea, resigned.

#### Martin S. Indyk,

of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to Israel.

# Edward S. Walker, Jr.,

of Maryland, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Career Minister, to be an Assistant Secretary of State (Near Eastern Affairs), vice Martin S. Indyk.

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# Anthony Stephen Harrington,

of Maryland, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Federative Republic of Brazil.

#### N. Cinnamon Dornsife,

of the District of Columbia, to be U.S. Director of the Asian Development Bank, with the rank of Ambassador, vice Linda Tsao Yang.

#### Bruce A. Morrison,

of Connecticut, to be a Director of the Federal Housing Finance Board for a term expiring February 27, 2007 (reappointment).

## J. Timothy O'Neill,

of Virginia, to be a Director of the Federal Housing Finance Board for a term expiring February 27, 2004 (reappointment).

# Checklist of White House Press Releases

The following list contains releases of the Office of the Press Secretary that are neither printed as items nor covered by entries in the Digest of Other White House Announcements.

## Released October 23<sup>1</sup>

Transcript of a press briefing by National Economic Council Director Gene Sperling on the President's radio address on financial modernization

#### Released October 25

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Joe Lockhart

#### Released October 26

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Joe Lockhart

Transcript of a press briefing by Education Secretary Richard Riley, Interior Secretary Bruce Babbitt, and Deputy Attorney General Eric Holder on Republican proposal for an across-the-board cut of 1.4 percent in Federal spending

Statement by the Press Secretary announcing that President Clinton will visit Istanbul, Turkey from November 17–19 to attend a summit meeting of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe

# Released October 27

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Joe Lockhart

# Released October 28

Transcript of a press briefing by Council of Economic Advisers Chairman Martin Baily on the gross domestic product report

#### Released October 29

Transcript of a press briefing by Health and Human Services Secretary Donna Shalala on action to preserve privacy of medical records

# Acts Approved by the President

## **Approved October 25**

H.R. 2561 / Public Law 106–79 Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2000

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>This briefing took place on October 22 but was embargoed for release by the Office of the Press Secretary until 10:06 a.m., October 23.